



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
US ARMY INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND
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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Garrison Commander's Policy Memorandum No. 24—Article 15 Authority

1. REFERENCES:

- a. AR 600-20, Army Command Policy.
- b. USASC&FG Regulation 27-1, Military Justice.

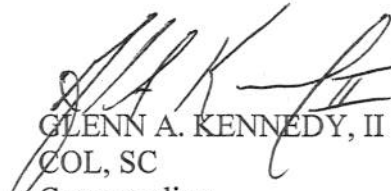
2. Within the Special Court-Martial Convening Authority Jurisdiction of the US Army Garrison, the authority to impose non-judicial punishment under Article 15, UCMJ, over all E-6 and above is reserved to the Commander, US Army Garrison. This authority is subjected to the reservation of authority established by FG Regulation 27-1 and all other directives issued by appropriate convening authorities.

3. Commanders shall consider the entire range of disciplinary tools before initiating punitive action. Subordinate commanders will refer cases to my level for initiation of non-judicial punishment under Article 15, UCMJ, as necessary, to comply with paragraph 2 above.

4. This order applies to all US Army personnel under the special court-martial jurisdiction of the US Army Garrison. Commanders seeking exceptions to this order will submit a request in writing to the Commander, US Army Garrison. A failure to adhere to the provisions of this order will not confer any benefit on any individual accused of an offense.

5. All personnel are expected to comply with this policy. Violation of this policy memorandum provides a basis for disciplinary action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice and/or adverse administrative action.

6. Proponent for this action is the Deputy to the Garrison Commander.


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